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The population of Manchuria is variously estimated between 15,000,000 and 19,280,000, the latter being the customs figures.
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THE CURRENT MAGAZINES

The Red Book Magazine for January introduces three new writers: Katherine Hill, Clinton York and John Barnett, and makes such a feature of their stories as to indicate that it has tremendous confidence in their future. In these days of such effort by the magazines to get the work of the writers whose reputations have become established, it is refreshing to find especial stress laid upon the work of newcomers, especially in a magazine which in the same issue contains writ-

ing from Rupert Hughes, Meredith Nicholson, H. G. Wells, George Nathaniel Curzon, and others equally well known.
In the Technical World Magazine for January are a number of interesting articles, among which are "Cities in Steel Corsets" by George H. Cushing, "Improving Your Chance for Life" by F. C. Walsh, M. D., "Doubling Both Hand and Brain Power" by Ford C. Wales, "Safeguarding Factory Eyes" by K. H. Hamilton, "Bad Roads Increase Your Living Cost" by William N. Taft, "Engineers' Doctors to Guard Nation's Health" by Ralph Bergengren, and "Taking the

Heat Out of Light" by Robert G. Skerrett.

"The Tin Star," by Inez Thompson, opening novelette in January Young's Magazine, is an absorbing tale of a young girl brought up in an exclusive boarding school, "Kata Plays Trumps," by Laurence A. Williams, is a study of two intense natures, one of a young boy, lovable and loyal, who meets his brother's wife, not knowing her real position, and falls in love. "The Dream Life's End," by Howard P. Rocky, is a studio story full of passion and pathos and vital charm. Lucy Stone Terrill in "The Ladder of Fame," has depicted the broadening character of a woman whose ambition is in constant conflict with her love. "The Intercession of Madame," by Varian Holmes, has a strong vein of comedy. "The Wedding Rings of Mary Alhine," by Henry P. Dowd, is a pathetic tale of a girl betrayed. "Sublimation," by Jane Burr, is a jaunty little tale of a frivolous girl and a great physician.

The January number of Scribner's Magazine opens with an unknown poem by R. L. Stevenson. Mme. Wadlington begins a new series of memoirs describing her official life in France. Professor G. E. Woodberry gives his impressions of Tunis. W. T. Ayward describes with pen and brush life in the English sailing ship navy. Alvin D. Macdonald tells about the end of Madero, and J. C. Madden about portraits of Robert Burns. H. S. Fritchett discusses on politicians and the sense of humor. There are five short stories, and poems by Austin Dobson and two others.

Among the leading articles in the January number of the American Review of Reviews are "Best from South America and Australia," by Arthur Wallace Dunn, with illustrations; "Alaska—A Future Empire," by E. H. Thomas, with illustrations; "Transportation Conditions in Alaska," by Captain James Gordon Steese, O. E., with illustrations; "Yachting in the Air," by Augustus Post, with illustrations; "The Rural Life Engineer and His Work," by David F. St. Clair, with portraits and other illustrations.

Farm and Fireside, the national farm paper published at Springfield, O., prints in its current issue an interesting article, by J. I. Guinee, entitled "Peanut Culture in Oklahoma," showing how Spanish peanuts can be grown in various parts of the country and used as feed for hogs. Finishing the hours for market or getting them ready for butchering for home consumption has put the farmers in Oklahoma and in the semi-arid regions of the southwest to a severe test during the last three years. Owing to dry weather and hot winds the grain crop during the last season was nearly a failure in those parts of the country. Hoe-raisers, finding that they could no longer depend on the grain crop to finish their pork, found that Spanish peanuts met the requirements.

THE THEATERS

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"The Open Door," a two reel feature written by William C. Clifford, is showing at the Orpheum theater tonight. This story makes a strong contrast between practical and impractical Christianity. It is sincerely acted and in spite of numerous hurried scenes works up a strong heart interest. The father's change of heart when he discovers his son and daughter working with the deposed minister in the alum mission, is nicely presented. The gambling raid is well shown. The photography is pleasing and it makes altogether a strong offering. Several other pictures are to be shown entitled, "Natures Vengeance," and "The Lawyer, Dog and Baby," making the program a brilliant one. A grand Biblical story of the children of Israel, entitled "Jephthah's Daughter," in three massive parts, will be shown tomorrow.

Tonight is the last chance to see the celebrated Quintana band at the Odeon theater. This is positively the best musical act ever heard in this popular play house. The Odeon will also show the Pathe Weekly, No. 72, a roaring comedy entitled "White Father Telephone," and a Selig drama.

ELECTION

In the City of Richwood is Likely to Result in Overthrow of the Democratic Regime.

RICHWOOD, Dec. 29.—Richwood is now in the heat of a warm municipal campaign and the indications are that the Democratic party will meet with a crushing defeat Thursday. The Progressive and Republican parties have joined hands and are working together. It is true that there is some dissatisfaction in the ranks, but discord comes from the tough element in the Republican and Progressive parties. Under the present Democratic administration drink is allowed to be sold by grocery stores, restaurants, hotels and any one else who will give the officers a rake off. There is a certain restaurant in town where those that drink and gamble gather. The proprietors of this restaurant are Republicans, though they are supporting the Democratic ticket loyally. The circuit court convenes in the county in January and some Democratic officials may be indicted for their misconduct.

Rabbits are becoming as great a pest in Australia as in Australia. A cannery has been started, the tins being exported.

For the Purpose of Equipping Themselves to Teach the Modern Languages.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 31.—"Cities abroad" leave with and pay to modern language teachers who will go to the expense of study abroad," declares William B. Snow, of the Boston English High school, in a bulletin just issued by the United States Bureau of Education. On the whole Dr. Snow thinks modern language instruction in our best schools is as good as that abroad, in proportion to the time allowed. "We need more good teachers and an opportunity for selected pupils to begin the study of a foreign language under competent instruction in the grades. The colleges should give special attention to preparing teachers of modern languages."

In speaking of the various methods of language instruction, each with its ardent advocates, Mr. Snow says the reason the discussion wages so warm is that all the methods have some good feature, that nearly everything depends upon the teacher. "The worst of a dozen methods employed by a strong teacher with underlying purpose well in mind, will give a more valuable training and better results than any method when employed by an inferior teacher."

It is probable, too, that one method is better than another for doing some things, by less effective in securing a different end, so that the aim which seems most important will determine the method to be used in a particular case. Instead of trying to lay out in detail the "best method," we should consider various methods that have been found good, endeavor to see wherein their merit lies, and decide what method seems especially well suited to various conditions and to different types of classes or teachers.

On the question of whether conversation or translation should be emphasized in teaching modern languages, Mr. Snow insists that both demand teaching of the very highest type to be effective; that both are valuable. "Translation has its warm friends and its bitter enemies. Reformers have worked as hard to drive it out of the class as they have to drag conversation in. The difficulty is that the meat in the sandwich has a tendency to drop out and leave only bare bread; translation comes to be a mechanical substitution of the words of one language for the words of another, with little or no thought in the process, while translation ought to mean the study of a passage until its thought is clearly apprehended, and then an effort to put that exact thought into the other language with all the force and beauty that our command of the second language makes possible."

SAFER

Are the Coal Mines in This State Becoming as Reports Do Show.

CHARLESTON, Dec. 31.—People interested in the coal industry in West Virginia, whether operators, miners, state officials or social workers, are delighted with the showing made at the mines this year in the matter of fatal accidents.

Earl Henry, chief of the Department of Mines, has in his office a detailed history of each fatality and these histories show, beyond a reasonable doubt, that, if the miners themselves had exercised proper care, 1913 would have brought forth the smallest number of fatalities in this state in any year since 1905.

In the first eleven months of the year, 309 miners were killed and the records show that the deaths of 101 of them were due to the carelessness of the victims themselves—in other words, were avoidable.

If these 101 avoidable accidents had not occurred the number of deaths for each thousand men employed in the West Virginia mines would have been 4.8. This would have been the record for the state since 1880, or in eighteen years.

Those who have been making an analysis of the death records of the Mining Department and have been comparing the records with those of other states have been interested to find that, aside from avoidable accidents, the death rate per thousand men employed in West Virginia has been exceeded by only four states, producing ten million tons or over for the last five years and by only one state, Illinois, producing more than 40,000,000 tons. In the latter class West Virginia ranks ahead of the anthracite and bituminous fields of Pennsylvania.

Not the least interesting feature of the tabulation of the mining accidents for the eleven months ending November 30 is that only seven of the 309 deaths in the mines were due to explosions. This also established a new record for the state.

Chief Henry, in reviewing these figures and commenting on them, declared that the excellent showing made this year was due to the hearty co-operation his department had had from the operators and miners who have the interests of the state really at heart. He added that he could express his appreciation too emphatically upon this point.

When he was being congratulated on the record, the chief said he firmly believed that within a year or two West Virginia would take particularly high rank among the coal producing states in the matter of safety of mines and care on the part of state officials, operators and miners in keeping up the standard of efficiency.

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TO JOHN O. MINSON:
I hereby notify you that on Saturday the 10th day of January, 1914, I shall file my petition in the Circuit Court of Harrison County, West Virginia, praying the said court to grant unto me a divorce from the bonds of matrimony with you, two years having elapsed from the bringing of the suit in said court against you, wherein heretofore,

to-wit on the 9th day of September, 1912, a divorce was granted me from bed and board from you. And further on said 10th day of January, 1914, I shall offer to said court proper evidence in support of said application.

This the 9th day of December, 1913
FRED C. MINSON,
By Counsel.

WILL E. MORRIS,
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